

The Supralapsarians (Vanderbilt) Round for 1988 Masters Tournament

1. Its state flower is the peach blossom; its state bird is the blue hen chicken; one of its state nicknames is the Diamond State; it ratified the constitution on December 7, 1787; it is the fourth smallest state in population and the second smallest in area. For 10 pts. name it.

ANS. Delaware

2. For 10 pts. tell me which of the four Gospels records none of the following episodes: the feeding of the four thousand; Jesus walking on the water; the turning of water into wine; Jesus forgiveness of the woman caught in adultery; the cursing of the fig tree; and the healing of the Syrophenician woman.

ANS. Luke

3. One of the primary sources of Eliot's The Wasteland, the first of its twelve volumes was published in 1890. For 10 pts. identify this work on comparative religion and mythology by James Frazer.

ANS. The Golden Bough

4. After his successes in the invasion of France, this man was made a field marshall and assumed command of much of the Luftwaffe in the Battle of Britain. Later in the war he was responsible for overseeing the Mediterranean convoys of the Axis to ensure that the Afrika Korps was supplied. When the Allies invaded Italy, he assume supreme command of the Axis forces in Italy. For 10 pts who was he?

ANS. Albert Kesselring

5. It can refer to the crescent moon, to a concavo-convex lens, and to the curved upper surface of a liquid confined in a tube. For 10 pt. what's the word?

ANS. Meniscus

6. In Roman Catholicism, it is the service or office of vespers for the dead. It is the Latin for "I shall please." For 10 pts. what is this word most commonly used to describe a false medication?

ANS. Placebo

7. He rejected what he called "an old bitch civilization gone in the teeth" and proclaimed his doctrine to "Make it New." A great poet in his own right, he also helped T.S. Eliot, James Joyce, and William Carlos Williams get their work published. For 10 pts. name this American expatriate, author of Pisan Cantos.

ANS. Ezra Pound

8. Spiritualists in the 19th century claimed the interest of such individuals as Victor Hugo, William James, and Arthur Conan Doyle, but history has sometimes neglected the two adolescent girls who helped launch the spiritualist movement. For 10 pts. who were these New York sisters who began establishing contact with the dead in 1848 and became celebrities after signing with P.T. Barnum in 1849?

ANS. Fox Sisters (Katherine and Margaret)

9. For 10 pts. identify the year: Minnesota became a state; Teddy Roosevelt was born; the first Atlantic cable was completed; and the Lincoln-Douglas debates occurred.

ANS. 1858

10. The earth's crust is between five and 25 miles deep. For 10 pts. what is the name of the boundary that separates the crust from the mantle?

ANS. Mohorovicic Discontinuity or Moho

11. Among his poetical works were The Botanic Garden and The Temple of Nature. Among his scientific works were Zoonomia. For 10 pts. name this 18th century physician, natural historian, and poet, whose works included an account of evolution that predated that of his famous grandson.

ANS. Erasmus Darwin

12. Though he grew up in a male-dominated age, he had the courage to make a female figure the star of his trail-blazing comic strip. He did add some peripheral male characters, such as Rollo the rich kid and Sluggo the bald kid, but Nancy always remained the star of his strip. For 10 pts. who is he?

ANS. Ernie Bushmiller

13. The name's the same: Charles III of Spain's 1759 decree concerning the succession to the throne of Naples; the Bourges decree of 1438 issued by Charles VII of France in order to limit papal authority in France; and the 1713 decree of Holy Roman Emperor Charles VI that ensured the succession of Maria Theresa to the Austrian throne.

ANS. Pragmatic Sanction

14. Pawn to King 4; Pawn to Queen's Bishop 4 - For 10 pts. thus begins what famous chess opening?

ANS. The Sicilian Defense

15. He joined the Fauve movement in 1905, but when he saw Picasso's Demoiselles d'Avignon late in 1907 he embarked on a more radical style. In 1909 he became a close friend of Picasso and together they developed Cubism. For 10 pts. identify this painter.

ANS. Georges Braque

16. Although his country's monarchy was abolished in 1970, he is still known by a royal title. He has had numerous enemies, among them the U.S. the Khmer Rouge, and the Kampuchean National United Front. For 10 pts. name this Cambodian leader.

ANS. Prince Norodom Sihanouk

17. The name's the same: a probability theorem used in statistics, comparing the frequency of successes in a large number of trials with the probability of success in a single trial; and a law of physics that relates reduced internal fluid pressure with increased fluid velocity. For 10 pts. what common name applies to both laws?

ANS. Bernoulli

18. The word "robot" first appeared in this 1921 play by Czech writer Karel Capek. For 10 pts. name it.

ANS. R.U.R. or Rossum's Universal Robots

19. Many of us are familiar with classical and modern Greek, but throughout the country many students study a different form of Greek. For 10 pts. what is New Testament Greek called?

ANS. Koine or Common (If buzz in early and say "New Testament" ask for more)

20. The narrator of this novella, a young boy, is sent to a reform school for robbing a bakery. The boy gets even with the Warden of the school by deliberately losing a race. For 10 pts. identify this Alan Sillitoe work.

ANS. Loneliness of the Long Distance Runner

21. Most scientists believe that the earth is much younger than the sun and other stars in the galaxy. But Genesis one tells a different story. For 10 pts. on which day of creation does Genesis one say God created the sun, moon and stars?

ANS. the Fourth Day

Supralapsarians Bonuses

1. BONUS 25 PTS.

For 5 pts. each, match the style of architecture with the cathedral which represents each of these styles. The styles are: Byzantine; Romanesque; Gothic; Renaissance; Baroque. The cathedrals are: Cluny; Seville; St. Sophia; Chartres; and St. Peter's.

ANS. Byzantine=St. Sophia; Romanesque=Cluny; Gothic=Chartres ;
Renaissance=St. Peter's; Baroque=Seville

2. BONUS 30 PTS.

The 1930's was a decade of turmoil and momentous events. For 5 pts. each, place the following events from that decade in proper chronological sequence. They are: The "Night of the Long Knives;" start of the Spanish Civil War; Germany announces military conscription breaking the Versailles Treaty; Hitler becomes Fuehrer; Anschluss between Germany and Austria; Italy invades Ethiopia.

ANS. 1. Long Knives 2. Hitler Fuehrer 3. Conscription 4. Italy invades
5. Spanish Civil War 6. Anschluss

3. BONUS 30 PTS.

Ventriloquism, religious mania, spontaneous combustion. No, these aren't elements of a Stephen King novel but are instead events which take place in America's first novel, written in 1798. For 15 pts. each, name the author and the novel.

ANS. Charles Brockden Brown; Wieland

4. BONUS 25 PTS.

One of the recurring themes of the Bible is God's miraculous answer to the prayers of barren women. For 5 pts. each, tell me which child or children ended the barrenness of the following women.

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| 1. Manoah's wife | ANS. <u>Samson</u> |
| 2. Hannah | ANS. <u>Samuel</u> |
| 3. Sarah | ANS. <u>Isaac</u> |
| 4. Rebekah(2 answers) | ANS. <u>Esau and Jacob</u> |
| 5. Elizabeth | ANS. <u>John the Baptist</u> |

5. BONUS 30 PTS.

In recent years the neo-Darwinian view of evolution has come under attack from paleontologists. In 1972, the theory of punctuated equilibrium was proposed. For 15 pts. each, name the two men who originally proposed this theory.

ANS. Stephen Jay Gould and Niles Eldredge

6. BONUS 30 PTS.

You will receive 5 pts. if you can identify one of the following works by Alexander Pope given a quote from it, 15 pts. for identifying two works, and 30 pts. if you identify all three Pope works based on these quotations.

1. Know then thyself, presume not God to scan the proper study of mankind is man." ANS. Essay on Man
2. "A little learning is a dangerous thing; Drink deep, or taste not the Pierian Spring." ANS. Essay on Criticism
3. "What dire Offence from am'rous causes springs, What mighty contests rise from trivial things." ANS. Rape of the Lock

7. BONUS 25 PTS.

Although Atlanta played host to the 1988 Democratic Convention, Texas had a prominent place in the convention. For 5 pts. each, name the following Texans who played some part at the convention.

1. The keynote speaker ANS. Ann Richards
2. The leader of Jackson's Texas delegates, he is also the Agriculture Commissioner of Texas. ANS. Jim Hightower
3. The black Congresswoman who seconded Bentsen's nomination. ANS. Barbara Jordan
4. The Texas Democratic Chairman who made a motion to nominate Bentsen by acclamation. ANS. Bob Slagle
5. The black Congressman who, at Jackson's request, seconded this motion to nominate Bentsen by acclamation ANS. Mickey Leland

8. BONUS 30 PTS.

30-20-10, identify this person based on comments he might have said.

1. I loved warm places so much that, on occasion, I would sit inside ovens; ironically, I died in Sweden during a severe winter.
2. I believed that the interaction of the soul and body occurred at the pineal gland.
3. I refuted dogmatic skepticism by deducing existence from thought.

ANS. Rene Descartes

9. BONUS 25 PTS.

For 5 pts. each, identify the human organ in which you'd find the following.

1. Glisson's capsules ANS. Liver
2. Glomerulus ANS. Kidney
3. Duct of Wirsung ANS. Pancreas
4. Malpighian corpuscles ANS. Spleen
5. Alveoli ANS. Lungs

10. BONUS 25 PTS.

Baron Friedrich von Hardenburg was one of the greatest early German Romantic poets, penning such works as Hymns to the Night and Spiritual Songs, some of which have found their way into Christian hymnals. But you won't know him by the aforementioned name. For 25 pts. by what pseudonym was von Harenburg known?

ANS. Novalis

11. BONUS 30 PTS.

For 5 pts each, answer each of the following presidential trivia questions.

1. During which president's term of office were the most former president's alive?
ANS. Lincoln
2. Aside from George Washington and John Adams, during which president's term of office was there a period when no former president's were alive?
ANS. Nixon
3. Which two presidents had never been married when they became president?
ANS. James Buchanan and Grover Cleveland
4. What two vice-presidents each served under two different presidents?
ANS. George Clinton and John C. Calhoun

12. BONUS 25 PTS.

For 5 pts. each, tell me in which geological period of the Mesozoic Era each of the following dinosaurs supposedly originated. If you don't know the periods, you can have them listed for you, but if you choose this option, then a miss stops you. (READER: If they want the periods they are: Cretaceous, Jurassic, and Triassic.

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| 1. Tyrannosaurus Rex | ANS. <u>Cretaceous</u> |
| 2. Diplodocus | ANS. <u>Jurassic</u> |
| 3. Triceratops | ANS. <u>Cretaceous</u> |
| 4. Allosaurus | ANS. <u>Jurassic</u> |
| 5. Stegosaurus | ANS. <u>Jurassic</u> |

13. BONUS 25 PTS.

For 25 pts. give the name of the linguistic hypothesis, named for its two proponents, which claims that culture is relative because language is relative.

ANS. Sapir-Whorf Hypothesis

14. BONUS 30 PTS.

Identify this actor, 30-20-10.

1. A pioneer of Chekhovian acting, his 1937 production of Three Sister at the Queens Theatre was regarded as the finest then seen in Britain.
2. Despite an earlier arrest for sodomy, he was knighted in 1953.
3. To Americans, he is probably best known for his Academy Award winning performance as the butler in the movie Arthur.

ANS. John Gielgud

15. BONUS 25 PTS.

The Minnesota Twins are the defending champions in the major leagues. For 5 pts. each, identify these other "major" leagues.

1. Greek union of city-states headed by Athens and established in 477 B.C.
ANS. Delian League
2. Greek union of city-states hostile to Athens, headed by Sparta.
ANS. Peloponnesian League
3. Formed in 1872 by the rulers of Russia, Germany, and Austria, it was superseded by the Triple Alliance and Triple Entente.
ANS. Three Emperors League
4. Political union of German states, Spain, Sweden, and the Holy Roman emperor that fought France (1688-97) under the new name Grand Alliance.
ANS. League of Augsburg
5. Alliance formed in 1510-11 by Pope Julius III during the Italian wars to expel Louis XIII of France from Italy.
ANS. Holy League

16. BONUS 25 PTS.

Ten pts. for one, 25 pts. for both, identify these two types of bridges used in electrical circuitry.

1. It is designed to measure the electrical resistance of an unknown resistor by comparing it with a known standard resistance. It is named for a 19th century English physicist.

ANS. Wheatstone Bridge

2. A specialized version of the Wheatstone Bridge, it is a network designed to eliminate, or greatly reduce, the effect of lead and contact resistance and thus permit accurate measurement of low resistance.

ANS. Kelvin Bridge

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17. BONUS 20 PTS.

In a deck of playing cards there are three one-eyed cards. For 5 pts. each, 20 for all three, name them.

ANS. Jack of Hearts; Jack of Spades; King of Diamonds

18. BONUS 25 PTS.

Identify this American author given a series of works 25-15-5.

1. The Time is Noon and Portrait of a Marriage

2. Dragon Seed and Peony

3. The Good Earth

ANS. Pearl S. Buck

19. BONUS 25 PTS;

For 5 pts. each, tell me in which city and state each of the following colleges is located.

1. Xavier University

ANS. Cincinnati, Ohio

2. Augustana College

ANS. Rock Island, Illinois

3. Ball State University

ANS. Muncie, Indiana

4. Dartmouth College

ANS. Hanover, New Hampshire

5. Baylor University

ANS. Waco, Texas

20. BONUS 25 PTS.

The American equivalent of field marshal is general of the army or airforce or admiral of the navy. Aside from the two military leaders who were awarded this rank posthumously, there have been only five men to attain this rank. For 5 pts. each, name them.

ANS. George C. Marshall, Dwight Eisenhower, Douglas MacArthur, Omar Bradley,
Henry "Hap" Arnold